

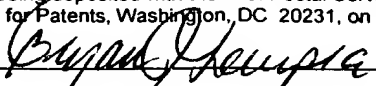


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket No. (Optional) 29939/30002										
	In re Application of John F. Travers, et al.											
	Application Number 09/649,399	Filed August 28, 2000										
	For: DISH DRAINER AND TRAY SYSTEM WITH COMPACT STORAGE OF THE TRAY											
	Group Art Unit 3634	Examiner J. Novosad										
<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 60%;"><input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td> <td style="width: 40%; text-align: right;">\$ _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 920.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ _____</td> </tr> </table> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 13-2855</p> <p>I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p>I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.</p> <p style="margin-left: 100px;"><input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).</p> <p style="margin-left: 100px;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record.</p> <p style="margin-left: 100px;"><input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).</p> <p style="margin-left: 100px;">Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>July 26, 2002</p> <p>_____ Date</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>_____ Signature</p> <p>Bryan J. Lempia Typed or Printed Name</p> </div> </div> <p style="font-size: small;">NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below</p>			<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$ _____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$ 920.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$ _____
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